

State Transportation Commission

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Overview of presentation

- ❖ Line Drive Home
- ❖ Midseason construction progress report



Line Drive Home



- ❖ Alternate routes to avoid delays on I-75 and US-23
- ❖ Developed map for MDOT Web site to provide directions to All-Star events



From the northeast and west regions, use US-10 to southbound US-127 to avoid I-75 construction in Genesee and Oakland counties, and US-25 construction in Genesee County. Follow southbound US-127 to eastbound I-490, to eastbound I-690 to southbound I-75. Southbound I-75 turns into southbound I-275 and exit at Madison Avenue. Left (and exit) for direct access to Cameron Park.

Watch for US-23 bridge construction over the Ausable River in Inoco County, and I-75 construction in Cheboygan County. Use southbound I-75 to southbound US-127 (split is located just south of Grayling). Follow southbound US-127, to eastbound I-96, to eastbound I-696, to southbound I-75. Southbound I-75 turns into southbound I-575 and exit at Madison Avenue (left lane exit) for direct access to Comerica Park.

Map of Downtown Detroit





Your Line Drive to the MLB's 78th Annual **ALL-STAR GAME**



July 12, 2005 Comerica Park in Detroit

Want to spend more time at the All-Star game and related festivities - and less time in construction zones? Of course you do. That's why the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) has teamed up with the Detroit Tigers and Major League Baseball to create **"Your Line Drive to the All-Star Game"** campaign. Sure to be a hit, this easy-to-use Internet map can help you avoid active work zones on your way to Comerica Park and other All-Star game activities.

However, if you do encounter a construction zone, please protect Michigan families by slowing down in our work zones and abiding by posted speed limits. Together, we can make this the safest construction season on record

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Metro Region



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Washington Street Bridge/Cobo Convention Center



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Gratiot Avenue Gateway



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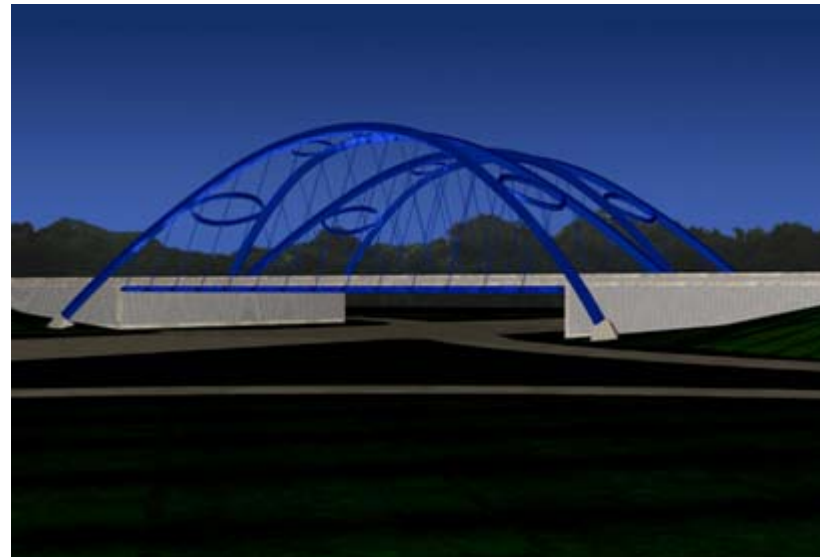
I-96 at Novi Road





I-94: Metro Airport to Detroit

- ❖ Project on schedule
- ❖ \$2 million incentive to have all lanes open for All-Star break
- ❖ Tied Arch Bridge progressing well



Superior Region





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- ❖ M-35 bridge deck replacement
 - Scheduled for 30 days, delivered in 20
- ❖ M-28 shoreline protection
 - Scheduled for 30 days, delivered in 15
- ❖ US-2 bituminous resurfacing
Hiawatha Trail to Worth Road
 - Delivered 43 days ahead of schedule

North Region





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Sign upgrade on M-116/US-10 and US-31BR Ludington area of Mason County

- Delivered nearly three weeks ahead of schedule

Sign upgrade on M-116 Mason County

- Delivered nearly three weeks ahead of schedule

US-31 resurfacing project

- Delivered 21 days ahead of schedule

M-32/BL I-75 in Gaylord

- Delivered 24 days ahead of schedule

North Region

Grandview Parkway (US-31) – Traverse City

- Delivered two weeks ahead of schedule



Bay Region



US-127 structures

- ❖ Scheduled for early completion in July



Grand Blanc Road over US-23

- ❖ Delivered two weeks ahead of schedule



Grand Region





M-50 in Kent County

- Delivered 10 days ahead of schedule



M-46 in Edmore, Montcalm County

- Delivered 9 days ahead of schedule

US 131 Reconstruction in Grand Rapids

- Delivered 22 days ahead of schedule

Southwest Region



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M-89 between Plainwell and Otsetgo, Allegan County

- ❖ Delivered 8 days ahead of schedule



University Region





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- ❖ M-106 over the Portage Drain in Jackson County
 - Delivered 2 weeks ahead of schedule

- ❖ US-127 BR from Taft to Townsend
 - Delivered 2 weeks ahead of schedule

- ❖ Lansing TSC wide shoulder corrugation project
 - Delivered 2 weeks ahead of schedule

- ❖ M-36 in Hamburg Township, Livingston County
 - Delivered 2 months ahead of schedule



Capitol Loop project

- ❖ Delivered 3 months ahead of schedule
- ❖ Project is joint effort of the city of Lansing and MDOT
- ❖ MDOT project cost: \$15.4 million



Questions?

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